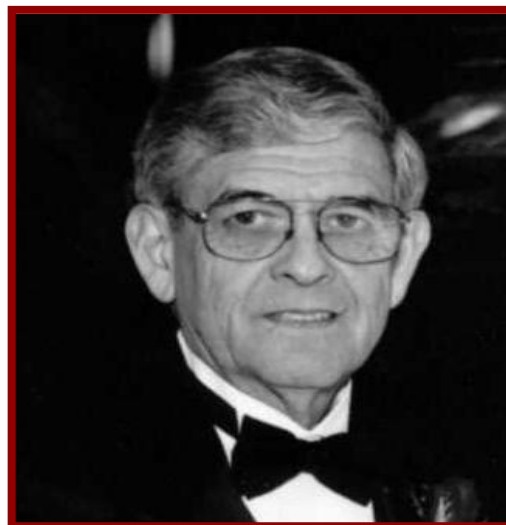


The Dan Chávez Beyond the Horizon Awards

At the 2010 Iowa Culture and Language Conference, awards will again be presented in memory of Dan Chávez, former Bilingual Consultant for the Iowa Department of Education whose spirit inspired the development of the ICLC. The awards will be given in the following areas:

- ★ ***Individual Advocate Award***
- ★ ***Organization Award***
- ★ ***Teacher Award***



To submit nominations for this award, please fill out the information on the attached Nomination Form and write an essay of no more than 300 words explaining why the nominee should be considered for this award.

Forms and letters must arrive before **November 9, 2009**. Please e-mail your nomination form and essay to tangerman@nwaea.k12.ia.us.

All nominations will be considered, and the Awards Committee will make final selections before the conference.

Previous Award Recipients

	Individual Advocate	Organization	Teacher
1999	Ms. Helene Kaplan-Grossman	U.N.I. TESOL Dept.	Mr. Dan Ketchum
2000	Mr. Richard Murphy	Iowa Dept. of Education Ed. Equity Review Committee	Ms. Kathleen Heinzl
2001	Mr. John Wilken	Lutheran Social Services and Catholic Charities	Mr. Khampheng Manirath
2002	Ms. Debbie Caldwell	Heartland Area Education Agency 11	Ms. Stephaney Jones-Vo
2003	Ms. Hong Cuc Nguyen	Midwest Equity Assistance Center	Ms. Chris Clark
2004	Dr. Carmen Sosa	U.N.I. New Iowans Program	Ms. Cathy Howland
2005	Mr. Vinh Nguyen	William Penn University <i>Project Impact</i> and <i>Project Teach</i>	Dr. Elvira Sanatullova-Allison
2006	Former Gov. Robert Ray	Bureau of Refugee Services	Ms. Anna Mary Mueller
2007	Ms. Ann Naffier	Bright Move Network	Ms. Janet Hiatt
2008	Mr. Wayne Johnson	Northwest Area Education Agency	Ms. Kathy Potts
2009	Eve Schindler	Iowa Arts Council	Ms. Renee Levi